

teen months, with the steady improvement of the National credit, induces the belief that the remainder of the six per cent. bonds can be refunded, within a reasonable time, in accordance with the promoting final resumption by preparing the coupon for it.

In furtherance of the purpose of the act of March 3, 1879, for the redemption of the bonds of the United States, the following is proposed:

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